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The New-Old Story.

Across the valley, from hill to hill,
A bird is flying to meet his mate:
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Young Love is shooting the threads of Fate.

The miller's girl and the farmer's boy
In the village church give glances shy;
And each to each is a glowing joy,
As the ruddy years sweep waltzing by.

To the home tree bring each happy bird
A lock of hair or a bit of clay;
So build the lovers, by look and word,
A cosy nest for a coming day.

In branching willows beside the rill,
The young birds mimic the old birds' notes;
And children are shouting above the mill,
As they run to launch their tiny boats.

Oh, ever the stream runs sweet and clear,
Outpoured anew from the springs above;
And ever the world keeps young and fair,
Since love is its life and its life is love.

— *The Continent.*

A Plot that Succeeded.

"Well, Vincent, and what does she say?"

Mrs. Morrison asked the question with conscious pride. She was quite certain that the impending verdict would be in her favor. How, indeed, could it be otherwise?

She sat there in the cool shadow of her jessamine-covered porch, in a dress of pale-green muslin, strewn all over with coquettish little bars of ribbon, a book in her lap, a lily fastened into her belt. Her housekeeping tablets were on the bamboo stand beside her, and a recipe for "snow pudding" was half copied on its last leaf.

The fact was that Mrs. Morrison had just taken the helm of her household, and that she took a true womanly delight in its management. And this soft summer day had been especially sanctified and set apart by the fact that her husband's mother had made her first visit on it.

It had been a little embarrassing, too. Young Mrs. Morrison had scarcely known what to say. She had only asked the elderly lady's advice about this, that, and the other thing. She had deferred to her opinions, and written down one or two infallible recipes in the tablets as to moth-eaten furniture, fermenting preserves, and cheese-cloth bed comforters.

The dinner had been very nice. Bridget had not committed a single solecism in waiting, and Mrs. Morrison could not think of a single flaw in the day's entertainment. So that now, when Vincent had returned from driving his mother in a little basket phaeton to the depot, she claimed her meed of praise with eager smiles.

"What does she say, Vincent?"

Mr. Morrison laughed, and kissed the fresh, upturned face.

"She says, Polly, that you are a nice little woman," he responded.

"Nonsense!" said Mrs. Morrison. "You know very well that that isn't what I mean at all, Vincent. About the house, you know. And the dinner, and all that."

"She thinks, my dear," said the young husband, a little awkwardly, "that you do very well, considering your inexperience."

"Oh, considering my inexperience!" said Mrs. Morrison, with somewhat of a pout! "Well, what else?"

"But she suggests that you ought not to keep but one girl," added Mr. Morrison, bluntly.

"Why not?"

"Oh—hum—ha!" hesitated Morrison. "The family is small, you know, and my mother thinks—that is, it has always been her experience—"

"Well, go on," cried Polly impatiently.

"That every housewife ought to understand practically the workings of her own household machinery."

"But I don't comprehend," said Polly, arching her brows. "Does she mean that I ought to black my own stoves, and scrub my own kitchen floor, and wash my own dresses?"

"I suppose so," said Vincent. "And really it's a capital idea, when one comes to think of it. So I told her, Polly," rubbing his hands a little guiltily, "that we would send Bridget away and get along with little Betsey. Betsey is very quick and handy, you know; and, as my mother says, there's no reason why a strong, healthy young woman like you should sit with folded hands doing nothing."

"Oh!" said Polly.

"Now don't go to getting vexed," said Mr. Morrison, with a blundering sort of a perception that all was not right. "Because, of course, you must see that there is a good deal of sense in this view of affairs."

"Does your mother think that I do nothing at all?" cried Polly, with a rising lump in her throat.

"Well, she thinks, don't you see? that every woman ought to have a practical knowledge of—"

"Pshaw!" cried Mrs. Morrison; and she jumped up and went into the house.

Vincent looked after her, with a low whistle.

"Now she is angry," said he to himself. "And the right of the matter is so evident, too. Women are queer!"

But presently Polly came back, the smiles returned to her face once more.

"Forgive me, dear," she said. "I lost my temper for just one half-quarter of a second. It's all right now. Did you say you had given Bridget warning?"

"Well, yes. That is—"

"Very well," said Polly. "I'll go and get some iced milk and pound-cake for you. You must be dreadfully tired and thirsty after your long drive. And," she added, demurely, "I dare say that there's a great deal of good sense in your mother's advice."

"You'll take it, then?" said Mr. Morrison, much relieved.

"If you say so, dear," said the obedient wife.

But when Mr. Morrison was smoking in the little porch after tea, Polly sat down and wrote an affectionate, confidential little note to her husband's uncle, Commodore Chesson, who had taken a father's place to him since he was ten years old. She wrote:

"DEAR UNCLE! Do come to me at once. The roses are in bloom, the cherries ripening on the trees, and I do need you so terribly! I want counsel, help, advice! Do come. Affectionately,
PAULINA MORRISON."

Commodore Chesson smiled on the hurried note as he read it.

"What is the matter with the precious little humming-bird now?" he said to himself. "Is there a little cloud no bigger than a man's hand across the horizon of her domestic bliss? Well, well, I will go to her! I never had a daughter, but when I am with Paulina, I can imagine how a father's heart is stirred with the deeps of tenderness."

He went to Briar Lodge, and he had a long chat with Polly, before her husband came home.

Vincent was glad to see his uncle. He was always glad to see the bland, courteous old veteran; but he was a little mortified when Polly joined them, after tea, with an infinitessimal smudge across her nose.

"My darling," said he, "what is that on your face?"

Polly glanced at the glass.

"Oh?" said she, rubbing it off with her pocket handkerchief; "blacks! I've been doing the kitchen range. Such a job!"

Vincant cleared his throat with some embarrassment.

"Can't you give us a little music, Polly?" he said.

But Mrs. Morrison shook her head.

"Couldn't, possibly," said she. "I ran a little splinter into my finger this morning, scrubbing the kitchen closet floor, and it has been poulticed ever since. Besides, since I have been doing Bridget's share of the cooking, I never get any time to practice. One can't do two things at once, you know."

Mr. Morrison rose quickly.

"Shall we go down to the stables?" he said to his uncle. "The roan horse has something the matter with his foot. Perhaps you could advise me about it."

But, once arrived at the stables, only one stunted little lad could be found in charge of the premises.

"Owen!" Mr. Vincent called, somewhat impatiently; "Owen! What can have become of that lazy fellow? Where are you, Owen?"

"Oh," said Commodore Chesson, carelessly, "it is Owen Linn you are calling. I sent him about his business this afternoon! A great, lazy, hulking fellow that don't earn his bread! What do you need of anybody more than Billy here?"

Vincent stared.

"But who is to groom the horses?" said he.

"Do it yourself!" said the commodore, briskly. "Why, when I was your age, I could have groomed a whole stableful of horses before breakfast every morning, and not even feel it. An able-bodied man like you has no business with such an army of retainers! A man is best served when he serves himself. That is my maxim."

Mr. Morrison winked, involuntarily, as if an unexpected verbal shower-bath had decended on his head.

"And about that horse's foot," said Commodore Chesson. "It's the shoeing, I dare say. Nobody seems, nowadays, to understand how to shoe a horse."

"Wixon, down by the wind-mill has a pretty fair idea of his business," began Mr. Morrison.

"Nonsense!" said he. "Do it yourself!"

"What? Shoe my horse?" exclaimed Morrison.

"Why not? A man ought to know everything about his own stables." said the commodore. "Get the iron. Set up a little forge. Make your shoe, and you'll be sure it is properly made. Shoe your horse, and you'll be certain he's not crippled by clumsy hands."

"I'm a little afraid that it might be the other way," said Vincent, rather ruefully. I don't know anything about such things."

"Then you ought to learn," said Commodore Chesson, with a cheerful air.

"I shall miss Owen, dreadfully!" grumbled Mr. Morison.

"Don't accustom yourself to be dependent upon any one," said the commodore. "It is never a good plan. Here's this fence falling down. Are you going to allow your property to go to ruin in this sort of way?"

"I'll speak to the carpenter to-morrow," said Vincent, faintly.

"Do nothing of the sort," said the commodore. "Buy a plane, a hammer and a pound of nails, and do it yourself."

"My dear uncle, I'm not a carpenter."

"But you should be," shouted the old gentleman. "Every man ought to understand practically the details of his own establishment."

"Mr. Morrison glanced up quickly; but Commodore Chesson preserved imperturbable gravity of manner.

"But, don't you see, uncle Chesson," said Mr. Morrison, impatiently, "that that sort of thing would make a perfect slave of me? Here I shall be all this glorious summer evening, rubbing down the horses and patching up the garden fence."

"There's nothing like being practical," remarked the commodore. "A stout young man like you should not be afraid of work."

But this time a truant twinkle in his eye betrayed him.

"Uncle," cried Vincent, "this is a plot! You and Polly are in league together against me."

"Not in the least," said Commodore Chesson. "She simply told me what your mother said. Now, I think it's hard if your uncle can't also have a finger in the family pie. If she has got to be practical in her kitchen, why shouldn't you be practical in your stables and garden? I don't suppose she likes to drudge any better than you do."

Vincent Morrison pulled his moustache thoughtfully.

"No," said he, "to-be-sure not! But isn't it strange, uncle, that I never thought of the matter in this light before?"

"Yes," said the commodore, half-smiling, "it is strange what a selfish world this is! But now listen to me, my lad. Take my advice *not* to take other people's advice. Owen has only gone to Penncassett, to bring Bridget back again. Your wife is your companion, not your drudge. Don't try to mould her fresh young bloom after the dried-up pattern of a hundred years ago. She's simply perfect, as she is now!"

"I think so, too, sir," said Vincent, with enthusiasm.

Bridget came back before it was dark. Owen resumed his old place in the stables, and not a word was said about the mysterious changes in the household machinery. Except that Vincent Morrison stopped just long enough to kiss his wife as he went up stairs that evening.

"Forgive me, dearest!" he whispered. "I see that I have been wrong. Hereafter, my wife is too precious to be made a slave of."

Polly kissed him back again, with true, wifely tenderness.

"It's all right, I see," said Uncle Chesson, when his nephew was gone.

"Yes," said Polly, brightly, "it is all right!"

Rights of the Bull in England.

A recent decision by Lord Coleridge, C. J., in the queen's bench division, as quoted by the New Jersey *Law Journal*, sounds singular here, where statutes and municipal regulations so generally prohibit estrays, and hold their owners liable. Unfenced highways are increasing under the protection of these laws, and in some New England cities and villages there are long stretches of front yards and lawns without any defensive protection from the traveled street or roadway. The judge in this case ruled that the owner of an ox, which had entered the plaintiff's open shop door while being driven through the street, could not be held liable for damage done. He said: "We find it established as an exception upon the general law of trespass, that where cattle trespass upon unfenced land immediately adjoining a highway, the owner of the land must bear the loss (quoting authorities). I could not, therefore, if I would, question the law laid down on such eminent authorities, but I quite concur in their views, and I see no distinction for this purpose between a field in the country and a street in a market town. The accident to the plaintiff was one of the natural and inevitable risks which arise from driving cattle through the streets, in or out of town.—*Scientific American.*

THE YELLOWSTONE PARK.

A Tract Larger than Rhode Island and Delaware Combined—Reserved for a National Park—Interesting Description.

It will surprise most readers not familiar with western distances that the Yellowstone park is larger than the states of Delaware and Rhode Island together. It is situated on the borders of Wyoming and Idaho Territories, and was set apart for a national park in 1872, though its striking characteristics were discovered ten years before. It is sixty miles long, from north to south, and fifty-five wide from east to west. It has a number of lakes, but its largest stream is the Yellowstone, and its largest lake has the same name. It has a number of mountains, ranging in height from seven to ten thousand feet, capped with snow all the year, and full of geological curiosities. Volcanoes and glaciers were evidently in operation there at a late period. The roads run through chasms and gorges and over the beds of streams now dry. The greatest variety of wild animals is there. There are buffaloes in the basins, and elk graze on the mountain sides. Moose haunt the marsh and heavy woodlands. Six species of bears inhabit the forests, and small game abounds, though reptiles are few and far between. Two-thirds of the area of the park are clothed with dense forests of fir, spruce and pine; choke-cherries, gooseberries, and currant both black and red grow along the streams. The meadows are bright with familiar flowers. Pasturage is excellent. The nights are frosty, even in summer; very hot days are seldom known; and the winters, though snowy, are not severely cold. The most remarkable features of the park are its calcareous springs, whose deposits harden into terraces as they dry and glisten in the sunlight. The waters are hot and seeth up from below with angry aspect. There are many immense geysers, the earth around which rumbles and shakes, and the air is hot with fetid odors. There are springs of boiling mud, white, orange, green, violet, purple, brown and blue. There are huge cones with openings at the tops, whence issue clouds of noisy steam. There are petrified forests, where the ground is strewn with trunks and limbs of trees which have solidified into clear, white agate. There are mountain sides worn by glacial action into spectral shapes that look almost human. There are cataracts of the most stupendous majesty and power. There are cratered hills, with rocks all around that are warm to the touch and hollow to the tread. There is a natural bridge, a rival to that of Virginia. In describing the Hot Springs of the Yellowstone Lake, Mr. Wisner says: "Seldom are the water and deposits of any two springs alike. There are coral, honeycomb, basinstone, pebble, scale and crystal formations, the whole making kaleidoscopic groopings of color and design. Down in the limpid depths of many of the springs are grottoes and arch-like structures. One dazzling white pool, the very type of purity, entrances the visitor, who stands with wondering eyes, to look far down below upon what may only be likened to a resplendent fairy grotto of frosted silver encrusted with pearls. Another crystal, clear, and colorless basin has a rim blazing with hues of sapphire, opal, ruby, and emerald. Still another pool, full to the brim, has the corrugated sides of its profound deeps adorned with tints of reddish gold. Several basins of unknown depth are mantled with a saffron skum of the consistency of calf's leather. This leathery substance is not of a vegetable nature, but is deposited by the mineral constituents of the springs. It forms in layers which are brightly mottled with red, yellow, green and black on the under surface, and the lowermost strata are solidified into pure, finely grained sheets resembling alabaster." It was certainly a very happy forethought and wise act on the part of the Federal government to set this wonderfully picturesque region apart for a national park, to be kept for the enjoyment of visitors forever.

Peonage in Mexico.

The system of peonage still exists in Mexico. In case of debt the debtor's personal services, or wages earned from another employer, belonging to his creditors until the debt is paid; but it has been modified of late years, so that it does not now apply to debts over $10. If a man trusts another over that sum, he does so at his own peril, if he has no property. He can command his services up to $10 worth, but no farther. The old life-servitude is thus done away with, to a great extent, although many of the lower classes manage to keep perpetually in debt, and, consequently, practically slaves. The law, whether it be good or bad, is executed in Mexico.

AN HERB FARM.

A Unique Farm in England Where Plants and Flowers Used for Medical and Other Purposes are Grown.

Near the small village of Mitcham in the English county of Kent, is a farm which is peculiar, and is the only one of its peculiar kind in the world. It is used for the production of plants and flowers for the manufacture of essential oils, scents, and medical preparations, as well as for their use directly in medicine. There are acres of roses for making rose-water; violets, lavender, peppermint, and other herbs for oils and scents; licorice, grown for its roots, which contain a peculiar kind of sugar that is found in no other plant, and known as "glycyrrhizine," and appears as the common black sweet gummy substance used as a medicine for coughs and colds; chamomile, grown for its pleasantly bitter and tonic flowers; the white-flowered poppy, whose round seed capsules are used for making extracts and for fermentations; lovage, whose root is used as an aromatic stimulant; a species of cucumber from which a purgative drug, called "elaterium" is made; the red cedar, grown for its leaves, from which a powerful medicinal oil is distilled; a white flowered plant, "Solanum nigrum," so called because it belongs to the family "Solanacea," to which the potato and tomato belong, and which has blackberries that are virulently poisonous; also the related plants belonging to the same family, and equally poisonous, "Atropa belladonna," the fatal deadly nightshade, which has beautiful purple flowers formed very much like the blossoms of the potato; the common henbane, and our very common jimson weed, both well known as poisonous drugs used in medicine. Here are grown sweet and bitter, fragrant and fetid, wholesome and deadly, beautiful and repulsive, and all derive their opposite qualities from the same kindly soil, the same warm sun, the same gentle, sweet dew-drops, the same benevolent showers, and the same life-giving air.

From this garden and laboratory, with its stills and alembics, the whole world is supplied in part, and the business of this Mitcham herb farm is world renowned. Its harvest time is a scene of picturesque activity. Many women and children are busy here in the fields of roses; there among the white-flowered chamomile, which is grown much as our common sweet herbs, the plants three or four feet apart each way, and is planted annually. Lavender and pepperment last three years, new beds being made by transplanting from the old beds successively. Licorice is newly planted every spring from cuttings of the root, which are long, and go down several feet into the soil. The business of the farm is a rich one because it is a highly skilled one, and is a branch of agriculture in which there is very little competition.

Halcyon Days.

According to the ancients, the kingfisher, called in Greek, Halcyon (from "the sea" and "brooding upon"), was so named from Halcyone, a daughter of Æolus, and the wife of Ceyx. The story goes that Ceyx was drowned while on his way to consult the oracle, and that, in a dream that night, Halcyone was informed of the fate of her husband. Next morning, as she wandered disconsolately on the shore, she found his body washed up by the waves, and, overcome with grief, threw herself into the sea. The gods, in admiration of their mutual affection, changed them into kingfishers.

The kingfishers were supposed, at that time to make their nests during the seven days preceeding the winter solstice (about December 21st), and to lay their eggs during the seven days directly following it; and it was a popular superstition that the sea remained calm and tranquil while they reared their young. And, therefore, these fourteen days were called "halcyon days," or days of calm, pleasant weather. On this account the ancients regarded the halcyon as the symbol of tranquility, and because it lived near the water it was consecrated to Thetis, a sea-nymph. The bird about which such wonderful stories were told was probably nothing more than the common kingfisher of Europe, the habits of which are very much like those of the belted kingfisher.—*St. Nicholas.*

Like a Pair of Shears.

"Marriage resembles a pair of shears," says the Somerville *Journal* so joined that they cannot be separated; often moving in opposite directions, yet always punishing anyone who comes between them." But very often they meet only to sever.—*Statesman.*

"There's no place like home," repeated Mr. Henpeck, looking at a motto, and he heartily added: "I'm glad there isn't."

CHILDREN'S COLUMN.

"I Know a Thing or Two."

"My dear boy," said a father to his only son, "you are in bad company. The lads with whom you associate indulge in bad habits. They drink, smoke, swear, play cards and visit theaters. They are not safe company for you. I beg you to quit their society."

"You needn't be afraid of me, father," replied the boy, laughing. "I guess I know a thing or two. I know how far to go, and when to stop."

The lad left his father's house, twirling his cane in his fingers and laughing at the "old man's notions."

A few years later, and that lad, grown to manhood, stood at the bar of a court before a jury which had just brought in a verdict of "guilty" against him for some crime in which he had been concerned. Before he was sentenced he addressed the court, and said, among other things: "My downward course began in disobedience to my parents. I thought I knew as much of the world as my father did, and I spurned his advice; but as soon as I turned my back upon home, temptations came upon me like a drove of hyenas, and hurried me to ruin."

Just the Time to be Pleasant.

"Mother's cross!" said Maggie, coming into the kitchen with a pout on her lips.

Her aunt was busy ironing, but she looked up and answered Maggie:

"Then it is the very time for you to be pleasant and helpful. Mother was awake a great deal in the night with the poor baby."

Maggie made no reply. She put on her hat and walked off into the garden. But a new idea went with her.

"The very time to be helpful and pleasant is when other people are cross. Sure enough," thought she, "that would be the time when it would do the most good.

"I remember when I was sick last year I was so nervous that if any one spoke to me, I could hardly help being cross; and mother never got angry nor out of patience, but was just as gentle with me. I ought to pay it back now, and I will."

And she sprang up from the grass where she had thrown herself, and turned a face full of cheerful resolution toward the room where her mother sat soothing and tending a fretful, teething baby.

Maggie brought out the pretty ivory balls, and began to jingle them for the little one.

He stopped fretting, and a smile dimpled the corners of his lips.

"Couldn't I take him out in his carriage, mother? It's such a nice morning," she asked.

"I should be glad if you would," said her mother?

The hat and sacque were brought and the baby was soon ready for his ride.

"I'll keep him out as long as he is good," said Maggie, "and you must lie on the sofa and get a nap while I am gone. You are looking dreadfully tired."

The kind words and the kiss that accompanied them were almost too much for the mother.

The tears rose to her eyes, and her voice trembled, as she answered:

"Thank you, dearie, it will do me a world of good if you can keep him out an hour; and the air will do him good, too. My head aches badly this morning."

What a happy heart beat in Maggie's bosom as she trundled the little carriage up and down on the walk!

She had done real good. She had given back a little of the help and forbearance that had so often been bestowed upon her. She had made her mother happier, and given her time to rest.

She resolved to remember and act upon her aunt's good word: "The very time to be helpful and pleasant is when everybody is tired and cross."

Animals Before Engines.

Generally a cow will stand facing the engine with horns uplifted until the cow catcher reaches her and rolls her from the track. Trains are occasionally wrecked by an animal rolling in under the locomotive's drivers. Trains kill great numbers of sheep every year. A few years ago a flock of 200 sheep were being driven along the dusty road near Yarmouth, Me. The stock stampeded from the road to the track, huddled into the narrow notch, and the locomotive mowed a clean-cut swath through them, splashing the track and rocks with blood. Out of 200 only 30 were unhurt. A hog is the worse to run into, and a flock of turkeys, once on a track, are there only to be killed, no amount of whistling being powerful enough to frighten them away.

On the Beach.

I clasped in mine her tender hand,
And side by side, with loitering pace
And pausing sometimes face to face,
We wandered slowly on the strand.

We left behind a laughing crowd;
We felt no need for company;
Ourselves, our thoughts, the beach, the sea,
The clear blue heavens that o'er us bowed,

Made us a perfect solitude.
Where all with peace and joy was filled;
Where jarring fears and cares were stilled,
And speech were interruption rude.

So, on we wandered, hand in hand,
O'erglad to be to each so near,
So heart-content, so fond and dear,
Alone upon that pleasant strand.

And when our footsteps we retraced,
The comrades we had left behind
Exclaimed: "Well, what's upon your mind
Old boy? What fancies have you chased.

"While wandering slowly and alone?
You are not wont to stroll away;
What do the wild waves say to-day,
By us unfancied and unknown?"

I smiled. They could not see the hand
I clasped in mine, the upturned face;
Their duller eyes beheld no trace
Of little footprints in the sand.

But that sweet hour along the sea
Will never vanish from my heart,
When, silent, from all else apart,
I walked with unseen company.

—*S. S. Conant.*

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

"Time levels all things," exclaimed the man, when a large clock fell on him and knocked him down.

It is when a woman tries to whistle that the great glory of her mouth is seen without being very much heard.

"My wife's sister, out in Injanna, is dead, and she's wearing mournin', and she thought it'd be more appropriate like to use black tea for a while now."

Before the Police Commissioner: "Isidore Ferblantine, this is the thirteenth time that you have been arrested for theft." "Ah, it is so humiliating to beg!"

"I meant to have told you of that hole;" said a gentleman to his friend, who, walking in his garden, stumbled into a pit of water. "No matter," said the friend, "I have found it."

"Show me the way up to a higher plane," says Ella Wheeler, the western poetess. Certainly, Ella; just step up into the elevator and tell the conductor to let you out at the top floor. Plenty of room up there.

"Mamma, what's a book-worm?" "One who loves to read and study and collect books, my dear." The next night company called. Miss Edith, who wears rings innumerable, was present. "Oh, mamma, look at Miss Edith's rings. I guess she's a ring-worm, ain't she?"

Some young ladies have invented a new plan for securing husbands. "They go out boating with a man of their choice, contrive to upset the boat, then grab him and save his life, the victim generally showing his gratitude by marrying his preserver." It is a novel scheme—for young ladies who can swim; but the probabilities are that a few years after marriage the man will regret that his life was saved.

"Tell me something I don't know," squeaked a silly youth who had been chattering like an ape to his companion for several minutes, greatly to the annoyance of the other passengers in the car. "Well, sir," said a dignified old gentleman, "I will tell you something you don't know. You are a jackass, sir!" When the admiring audience had ceased applauding, the youth who had thus suddenly acquired some valuable information was not in sight.

Germs of Disease.

It is fortunate that only an infinitesimally small proportion of the germs of disease that are always abroad in the atmosphere can ever meet with the combination of conditions that is essential for their development. According to Professor von Pettenkofer, of Munich, a germ, ere it becomes capable of producing actual disease, must not only find a susceptible subject, but must also find that subject in a favorable locality and at a favorable time; and, as disease germs are not, as a rule, very long-lived, the vast majority of them die without encountering the necessary conditions. If such were not the case, it is certain that the human race would cease to exist; for the chief of the micrographical department of the Paris observatory has recently discovered that the number of disease germs of one kind or another contained in a cubic metre of the air of the French capital is in winter 7,000; in May, 12,000; in June, 35,000; in August, 23,000; in October, 14,000; and in November 8,000; and it cannot be supposed that the atmosphere in London and other large cities is much less tainted than it is in Paris, or that the air, even of the country districts, is wholly uncontaminated.—*St. James Gazette.*

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Missionary Society meets on the third Monday evening of each month.

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Rev. Furman Adams Preacher-in-charge.

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Ladies' Mite Society meets on the first Monday evening of each month.

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Lodge & Society Directory.

Millheim Lodge, No. 955, I. O. O. F. meets in heir hall, Penn Street, every Saturday evening. Rebecca Degree Meeting every Thursday on or before the full moon of each month.

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Providence Grange, No. 217 P. of H., meets in Alexander's block on the second Saturday of each month at 1½, P. M., and on the fourth Saturday of each month at 1½ P. M.

D. L. ZERBY, Sec. T. G. EHRARD, Master.

The Millheim B. & L. Association meets in the Penn street school house on the evening of the second Monday of each month.

A. WALTER, Sec. B. O. DEININGER, Prest.

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FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR,
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OF BELLEFONTE.

It would require a much longer article than the JOURNAL can possibly pulish this week to give anything like an intelligible analysis of the legislative muddle at Harrisburg, just now, even if we understood all about it, and we are free to confess that we do not. It seems however that the crisis is approaching and that something tangible must soon come—either apportionment or *adjournment*. Patience, a little while longer. *Right* and justice—law and order *may* triumph at last.

Judge Hoadly, the Democratic candidate for Governor of Ohio, is severely afflicted with malaria and is now in Philadelphia under medical treatment. Very probably he can not take an active part in the Ohio campaign.

Just for Variety.

The Philadelphia *Times'* abuse of the Democratic members of the Senate and House is becoming just a trifle monotonous. We kindly suggesst that Col. McClure should not exhaust himself entirely on the wicked Democrats but give the stalwart obstructionist bosses a trifle of its anathema once in a while—just for variety, and lest its prestige as an *independent* paper might be impaired.

CHAIRMAN MCKEE, Tom Marshall, Charles S. Wolfe and Levi Bird Duff are among the prominent independent republicans, who do not propose to train under the Cameron banner this year any more than they did last, and in connection with this the York *Gazette* observes that the rank and file the woods are full of them in many parts of the state.

Mr. Randall and the South.

From the Louisville Post.

Mr. Randall's friends increase in the South as people begin to understand his conservative and statesmanlike course. The misrepresentations that have teemed in certain newspapers in regard to his record are being swept away, and the Democracy of the South realize that he is now, as he was during the dark days of oppression after the war, their most capable as well as their most willing friend.

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Crime and the Daily Press.

The following article from DEMOREST'S MONTHLY, barring its implied endorsement of Sunday papers expresses our views on the subject in question exactly. A small paper like the JOURNAL might be filled week after week—every inch of it—with detailed accounts of crimes, suicides and scandals that alas happen daily throughout the country. But such reading not only does no good, improves neither the mind nor betters the heart, but it is a positive and lasting injury to all, especially to the young. It is about time that parents who have the welfare of their children at heart, see to it that the class of papers indicated be banished from the family circle :

John G. Whittier, the Quaker poet, deplores, in a recent poem, the disposition of the daily press to dwell upon crimes and all unnatural occurrences. The journals publish whatever appeals to a mortid appetite, and scarcely a paper that comes into our homes but contains items of news such as no parent would care to show his children. Unfortunately, it is unusual occurrences which the public taste craves. Hence the prominence given to murders, thefts, scandals, and reports of evil deeds. The more enterprising the journal the more of these objectionable stories does it contain. Still it must be admitted that the newspapers might be much worse than they are. The proprietors and editors are generally heads of families, and much of the more reprehensible reports of vicious occurrences are modified or suppressed outright. Then the newspaper is beginning to add to its departments and furnish more serious matter. The Sunday editions of the large weekly journals have become weekly magazines, and draw largely from current literature to add to the attractions of their columns. There ought to be a public sentiment which would strongly condemn such journals as make a specialty of evil news.

FRANK JAMES ACQUITTED.

ST. LOUIS, Semtember 6.—A dispatch from Gallatin says: The jury has returned a verdict of acquittal in the Frank James case.

And so Missouri will have the disgraceful distinction of having legally freed and set at large one of the worst bandits, robber and murderer that ever cursed poor humanity. How intensely shameful and wicked thus to license crime.

The President has returned from his trip to the Yellowstone Park and other western points.

Additional Locals.

—Our friend Jos. K. Moyer, at Centre Mills, had a "Big Democratic Mass Meeting," all of his own, last Friday. The speakers, however, failed to come to time, and so the assembled Democracy concluded to draw off Joe's mill dam and go a-fishing, as the next best thing. This was done, and the victory was a glorious one. Some fifteen bushels of fish were caught, not a few of them measuring nineteen inches in length. After the fun of catching was over the fishes were divided into forty-five shares, and as many families were made happy and fared sumptuously every day—as long as the fish lasted.

—The Evangelical Church located in the Mountains has undergone a thorough repairing and beautifying in the past summer, and will, if Providence permit be re opened for divine service on Sunday the 16th inst. Preaching in the morning and afternoon, in the German and English languages. It is expected that the friends in attendance will bring their baskets with victuals and have their dinner in the grove in picnic style. A cordial invitation to attend the interesting services is hereby given to all.

BENJ. HENGST,
Preacher-in-charge.

A BRILLIANT FUTURE IN PROSPECT.—A capitalist who should know something about it predicts that in five years Bellefonte will have 40,000 population, says the *News*. He says that Centre is the richest county in minerals in the state, that Bellefonte is much better located than Johnstown or other large manufacturing centers for iron manufactories of all descriptions, that the fair ground is sold to a party that will build a great furnace upon it, and that as soon as the projected railroads are completed all this will be brought to pass.—*Exchange.*

Tribute of Respect.

At a meeting of the Spring Mills Veteran Club the following Preamble and Resolutions were passed :

WHEREAS, God in his ahwise providence has seen fit to remove by death, from our midst, Comrade Thos. Richardson, of Company G. 56th Regt. Penna. Vet. Volunteers.

Resolved, That while we mourn the loss of our comrade we submit to the divine will of our creator.

Resolved, That by his death we lose an active worker in the Club, but our loss is his eternal gain.

Resolved, That the Club extend their sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the family, and that the same be recorded on the minutes of the Club and published in the MILLHEIM JOURNAL, *Centre Reporter* and *Bellefonte Republican*.

W. H. BARTHOLOMEW,
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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.—By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Centre county, the subscriber, Executor of the estate of Philip Stover, late of Millheim, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises, on

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19th, 1883,

The following described real estate:

No. 1. A valuable farm, situate in Haines township, said county, about three miles north east of Aaronsburg, and about two miles north west of Woodward, bounded by lands of Wm. Stover, David Krape, and others—containing 94 Acres and 144 Perches, neat measure, all cleared and in a high state of cultivation, excepting 5 acres, which are well timbered with Hemlock and Chestnut Oak.

The improvements are a good 2 story Dwelling House, Bank Barn and all other necessary outbuildings. Excellent orchard of apples and other fruit on the premises. Never-failing spring as well as running water near the door.

No. 2. A valuable tract of Timberland on Brush Mountain, about 1½ miles from above farm, easily accessible and near good road, well covered with Hemlock, Yellow Pine and Oak—containing 30 Acres.

No. 3. Consists of the homestead of the decedent, situate in Aaronsburg, marked in the plan of said town as lot No. 355. A good house, good stable, and all other necessary outbuildings thereon—all in best condition.

Lot covered with a choice variety of fruit. Water near the door. Churches and schools convenient.

No. 4. Lots No. 347, 348 349, 350, 351, 352, 358 and 359, in Aaronsburg, close by the homestead above described. These lots are all in the best state of cultivation.

Sale of town property begins at Aaronsburg at 9 o'clock, and for farm and timberland, at the farm, at 1 o'clock of said day.

TERMS: Ten per cent. on day of sale, one third (including the ten per cent.) on confirmation of sale, and the balance in two equal annual payments with interest from confirmation—to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.

JASPER W. STOVER,
3t Executor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of Christina Kreamer, late of Penn township, Centre Co., Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly proven for settlement.

E. STAMBACH,
Aaronsburg, Aug. 30th, 1883. Executor.
6t

LAST NOTICE.—Persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of the late Jonathan Phillips are hereby requested to make payment without delay. The estate must be settled up and they will save themselves costs by heeding this notice.

3t EXECUTORS.

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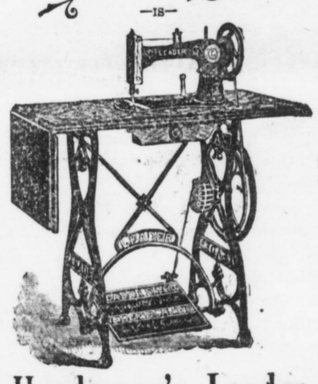

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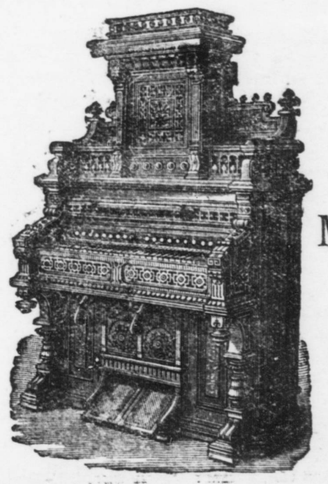

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The Millheim Journal.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13., 1883.

BY DEININGER & BUMILLER.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

—H. H. *Wanamaker* is off to the city.

—Miss Jennie Yarger, of Hartleton is visiting at H. H. Tomlinson's.

—Ex-Gov. Curtin is now out on the Pacific coast. Hope he may enjoy himself.

—The new JOURNAL building is progressing finely—and so is the JOURNAL, you bet.

—The days are still long enough to do a good, solid day's work—if a fellow isn't too *tired*.

—Landlord Frain has erected an additional post lamp in front of the First National. More light.

—Money sold at 14⅜ per cent. premium at the meeting of the B. & L. Association on Monday evening.

—Eight prisoners in the Centre county jail. The taxpayers are willing to shift along with half the number.

—Snook's brickmakers do exactly as the Israelites did in Egyptian bondage—they make their bricks without straw.

—Recorder Frank E. Bible, was in town last week and paid his compliments to the JOURNAL office, of course.

—B. F. Kister is coming to Millheim again in a few weeks. That's just where he ought to be have stayed all the time.

NOTICE.—The person who borrowed a pipe wrench out of Hartman's foundry, is requested to return the same. 'Nough said.

—Thousands of voluntary testimonials testify to the efficacy of Smith's German Olio as a cure for rheumatism and kindred diseases.

—The frosts these last few mornings did considerable injury to vegetation in gardens, and it is feared that the corn crop also suffered.

—Mr. C. C. Loose, of Miles township, will make public sale of his fine stock, farming implements, wagons, &c. Tuesday, Sept. 25th instant.

—Mr. Jasper W. Stover, Executor, will sell the valuable farm and homestead of the late Philip Stover, at public sale, Friday, October 19th next.

—On Thursday morning it was just about cold enough to husk corn, but our farmers are not quite ready yet for that job. There was considerable frost.

—It was real bad in that otherwise sensible girl, Miss Mary E Strohm, to pick on such a cool, rainy day as Saturday for her picnic, down at Paddies Tunnel.

—Prof. Feehrer is now in Reberesburg teaching the band and what is better, he is coming to Millheim next week. Welcome, Joseph, you have not been here this long time.

—The St. Paul's Union Sunday School of Haines thowuship will hold a picnic in Stover's woods, near Daniel Wolfe's next Saturday. Other schools have been invited to attend.

—Spigelmeyer is just putting the finishing touches to his two adjoining dwellings on Penn Street. A beautiful fence in front and several coats of paint are Jerome's last licks.

—Now is your chance for good pictures, of yourself and families. You can get four large tin-types for 50 cts. Will remain until Sept 30th.

I. GROTZINGER.

—And now Nittany Valley, too, is on the rampage for a railroad and a big meeting was held at Hublersburg on the 1st instant which seems to have been unanimously for a road.

—Israel Confer's new planing mill is up and the engine is already in it. This is the fourth planing mill in Millheim and vicinity and all of them seem to have plenty to do. Business!

—Any one wishing to buy a bicycle, tricycle—or in fact almost any other cycle, can be accommodated with full information and instructions by calling on Dinges, Vonada & Co., Coburn.

—A first class, paneled two-horse wagon box for sale at a low price by the Millheim Cornet Band. Apply to

R. A. BUMILLER,
tf Treasurer.

—Jas. P. Coburn, Executor, will sell at public sale the valuable homestead of the late John Rupp, at Aaronsburg, on Saturday, Sept. 15th proximo. See posters. 2t

—The fine store building of Dinges, Vonada & Co., at Coburn is approaching completion, and the enterprising proprietors propose to dedicate it by a grand opening on or about the 25th instant.

—Very many of our patrons are *helping* us right bravely to build our new office. We thank our friends very much for their seasonable aid, and are waiting on others to whom we sent bills to do the same.

—Hoffer's Time, Wages & Expense Book is the most convenient little arangement out for men who work by the day to keep their time and wages received. For sale at the JOURNAL STORE, price 15 cents. tf

—The scoundrel Gardner who recently bought a span of horses from Mr. H. C. Shirk, near Potter's Bank, and paid for them with a worthless check for $375, was caught last week near Wilkesbarre—*and left run again.*

—Without any previous notice and altogether unexpected, Mr. T. R. Stam dropped in on us last Friday direct from West Union, Iowa. Russ looks well, does a slashing business out there and talks with enthusiasm of the west.

—The *Reporter* and the Bellefonte papers put the coming Granger Picnic on the 20th, while the JOURNAL announced it for the 25*th*—and that is exactly what Chairman Campbell's postal told us. If wrong we take no *sass* this trip—mind you.

ENTERTAINMENT.—The Literary Society will give a free, public entertainment in the Town Hall, Saturday evening, Sept. 29th, next. All are invited. J. W. HERALD,
MARY E. STROHM, President.
Vice president. tf

SOMETHING FOR COUNCILS.—Mrs. John Scheid of Lock Haven, has decided to sue the city for damages, having been seriously injured by a fall on a miserable sidewalk in the First Ward. The case is in the hands of T. T. Abrams, Esq.

—Samuel Long well, the man who killed Reed Alaxender for picking raspberries on his farm, near Milroy, some weeks ago, was tried at Lewistown the other week, found guilty of manslaughter and sentenced to the penitentiary for five years.

—The Patrons of Husbandry of Centre county will hold their 10th Annual Reunion on top of Nittany Mountain, one mile west of Centre Hall, on Tuesday Sept. 20th, instant.

GEO. W. CAMPBELL.
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—Mr. W. G. Morrison was about for several days last week. He pretended to have business all over, literally with everybody in the valleys, but managed to stay nearly the time right in the *centre* of town, as if afraid to venture out. Strange chap that Morrison.

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—The teachers' examination on Monday was well attended, both by teachers, directors and visitors. The class numbered eleven, and the exercises, though principally by the written method, were very interesting throughout. Prof. Wolfe, our efficient Superintendent, gave strict justice to all, and we hope his parting admonition will bear good fruit and act as an additional incentive to earnest, faithful labor on the part of those intrusted with the training of our youth.

—MAJ. GEN. W. A. TOBIAS brought a cucumber of his own raising to our office the other day that measures 13 inches in length, 11 inches in circumference and wheighs 2½ pounds, and it isn't just the best year for cucumbers, either. It is the London Green variety. Now if any dodgasted son of a republican can beat that in an off year, let him step three paces to the front and give his name and address, or forever after hold his *jaw*.

—Mr. J. W. Adams, Jr., writes us from Buckeye Centre, Stephenson county, Illinois :—

I like it right well here. Have not been homesick for Millheim at all. There are lots of festivals and picnics now. At a campmeeting at Lena, 12 miles from here, last week, the number of people present was estimated at 12,000. The *Old Settlers'* picnic had a very large crowd and no less than six brass bands present.

—Last Friday morning we were gratified with a visit by our friend, E. A. Wasser, Esq., of the Girard (Kansas) *Press*. We have not met *'Lias* these many years, and it did our heart good too see how well he appears. He was one of our pupils, *'Lias* was, many years ago, one of those kind, gentle natures that need no correction, and it affords us infinite pleasure to state that as a full-grown, finely-developed man he is still the same.

Mr. Wasser went to Kansas some fifteen years ago a poor boy, worked up his way gradually but surely, and is now the senior editor of one of the most flourishing papers in the thriving young state, and Post Master of Girard besides, while his partner, Mr. Riddle, is a member of the senate of Kansas.

—J. A. LIMBERT will carry express and freight goods from Coburn to any point along the route at the following rates : All packages weighing less than 100 pounds, to Millheim, 10 cts., to Aaronsburg, 15 cts., to Woodward, 25 cts. For packages weighing over 100 pounds a proportionate charge will be made. tf

—Last week we published a marriage notice of a wedding that took place "near *Frankville*, in Brush valley." That's a new town to us for Brush valley. We know of Madisonburg, Spring Bank, Centre Mills, *Kreamersville*, Rebersburg and Wolf's Store, but *Frankville*, no, that gets us. Nor could we even find it on the map. It must be be a brand new place such as spring up like magic in this fast age. Wonder if it is a large town with railroads, telephones, electric light and big daily papers and especially whether it is a good place to get married at or near by ?

—Our friend Dan Lenker, in Aaronsburg, thought he could manage to shift along without an advertisement in the JOURNAL, but he soon found out that it was a prodigious mistake. He came hot haste the other evening and ordered a new one. Well, the truth is Dan is just one of the best mechanics out. If you want anything made real good, solid and neat, go to Lenker, he is the man for you. You need not take our word for all this, but go and try Dan yourself.

—The Bellefonte *Democrat* has a brand new junior editor, in the person of E. L. Orvis, Esq. He is a practical business man and goes straight to work with out "salutory" or formal *debut* of anykin l. And we confess that if Ellis made up the local page of last week's *Democrat*, as presumably he did, he handles the pen with the power and ease of a veteran. Ellis is a "chip out of the old block" and no mistake—and what suits *us* best of all is that he proposes to enter upon an enlarged sphere of usefulness right from the beginning by organizing a class of *country editors* and giving them lessons on "*sarkasm.*" Ellis' tender kindness is truly *effecting*.

—CLEVE DINGES made quite a sensation here last Friday morning by entering town on a bicycle, the first one seen here in active operation. It takes exactly 1½ minutes by the best chronometer ever made to collect a crowd at Statesmen's Corner, big enough for a half-grown Democratic mass meeting, the and Cleve had the crowd. That the however did not disconcert him in least, for he transacted his business at bank and left as he came, on his bicycle, safely, easily, gracefully, and made the distance to Coburn in just twenty minutes.

—When a physician makes a mistake—and they do just like other mortals—the matter is covered up under the earth about five feet deep and the doctor is paid his big bill all the same. When a lawyer commits an error the defendant is sold out by the sheriff or goes to the penitentiary—but the lawyer gets his princely fee for all that. When a minister tungles the subject very probably goes to—well you have heard of the place where the "rich man" was, and the professional standing of the preacher is not impaired in the least. He eats just as much chicken after as before. But let a poor printer, who works for nothing, or what is the next thing to it, for just enough to keep body and soul together, "just place a single letter where another should be, for example a "P" instead of an "A" as our foreman did in printing Cook Loose' sale Lills, then what ? Nothing in particular, only every wiseacre, philosopher, dummy and dude in the community is after the poor printer with a sharp stick.

Such is life, *this* poor life. Printers will get their due reward *hereafter*.

—THE RAIL ROAD MEETING at Centre Hall the other Thursday seems to have been well attended, both by many of the stockholders throughout the valley as well as by leading citizens of Bellefonte. The speeches by Hon. C. T. Alexander, Judge Orvis, Gen. Beaver, J. L. Spangler, Esq., Col. Milliken, Leonard Rhone, Esq., and others, as well as the resolutions passed, were all strong and decided in tone, and yet dignified and moderate, demonstrating the great injustice done to the people of the upper end of the valley by the neglect and refusal of the Penna. R. R. Co., given ten years ago, to build the road if certain fixed sums were subscribed by the respective townships through which the road passes, which was fully and faithfully done, and yet the road is not built.

Letters were read from Ex Gov. Curtin and Hon. Eli Slifer, entirely in harmony with the spirit of the meeting, but regretting that they could not be present in person.

A committee consisting of Saml. Gilliland, F. Kurtz, L. Rhone, John I. Thompson and Wm. McFarlane was appointed to meet the officers of the Pa. R. R. Company, in the interests of the early completion of the L. & T. road.

[The above embraces a condensed account of what was done at the meeting, and we would have cheerfully published it last week, but could learn nothing of what had transpired. The JOURNAL has always and strongly urged the completion of our rail road and hopes the recent meeting may tend to secure to the people of the upper end the simple justice already too long delayed.]

—An accident happened at Coburn on Saturday evening which might have been much worse. One of the feet of Mr. Ammon Grenninger's cook stove was loose and the stove was by some accident upset. A little boy about three years old was sitting behind the stove on the floor and the hot water on the stove was thrown upon him. The poor boy was pretty badly scalded but is doing well under the circumstances.

Just such accidents have happened so frequently, and often with fatal results, that it ought to be made a penal offense for any firm to manufacture stoves at which the feet are not perfectly secure. But then it must be considered that this is a grand, glorious country, and that our honorable legislators have no time to attend to such trifles—*at ten dollars a day.*

PENN HALL NEWS.

Mr. David J. Musser is building himself a fine house, into which he expects to move, when complete, and take the world easy. He threatens to dig his well shaft down to China if water is not struck sooner. I admire Dave's pluck.

Sorry John W. Bartges is going to quit the trade. John is an excellent painter.

The Houseman Brothers, with a common tread power thresher threshed 107 bushels of wheat for Peter Zeigler, recently, in half a day! Away with your big, clumsy and expensive steamers, and get the Brothers to do your threshing.

It is not just the best kind of fun to have a heavy horse shoe *pitched* onto your instep, when out of true politeness you point out the "hob" to the fellow on the "opposite side," with your foot.

MORAL : 'Quit before it gets too dark to see—or better still, quit before you begin.

NEWS BOY.

SPRING MILLS ITEMS.

The JOURNAL is "*just splendid.*"

Mr. Grenoble, the contractor, is pushing the bridge abutments finely.

On Thursday L. Kimport and W. Gettig were loading their teams at Grenoble's with phosphate. When the first team was loaded they drove it up the road a short piece and left it stand without tying the horses, and while loading the second team the first one ran away. Mr. Kimport's son tried to catch it and was thrown under the wagon, both wheels passing over his limbs and body. The boy was very much bruised but fortunately no bones were broken. He is doing well since—but what a close escape from death! *No comment is necessary.*

Miss Maggie Hering and Miss Marsh, two of Lock Haven's fairest ladies, are visiting friends and relatives here.

A big time is expected at the George's Valley Harvest Home Picnic next Saturday. Coming, Mr. Editor ? (*Mebbe.*)

One of our townsmen went to the station with his lady the other day, bought tickets for Coburn, boarded the train, and when at Greenbriar insisted that *that* was Coburn. The conductor told him of his mistake but without avail. The man knew which was Coburn and the pair left the train—and afterwards were seen walking towards sunrise.

[MORAL. Don't venture into the water before you can swim : Don't make a big tour before you have studied the Geography of this great, glorious country. Ed.] BROAD AXE.

MARRIED.

On the 20th ult., at the Reformed parsonage, Mifflinburg, Pa., by Rev. A. C. Whitmer, Mr. Wm. M. Dreibelbis, of Millheim, and Miss Lizzie M. King, of Laurelton.

On the 6th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. L. A. Gotwald, D. D., D. King Gotwalt, M. D., son of the officiating clergyman and Miss Julia B. Kurtz, only daughter of Mr. W. H. Kurtz, all of York, Pa.

On the 19th ult., by Rev. E. Stambach, Mr. Samuel Wate, of Rebersburg, and Miss Alice Loneberger, of Pleasant Gap.

DIED.

On the 3rd inst., in Gregg township, Mr. John Wagner, aged about 67 years.

On the 4th inst., in Aaronsburg, Susan Gertrude Bollinger, daughter of David Bollinger, deceased, aged 11 years, 3 months and 14 days

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Till all are passed away;
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J. T.

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Sides	12
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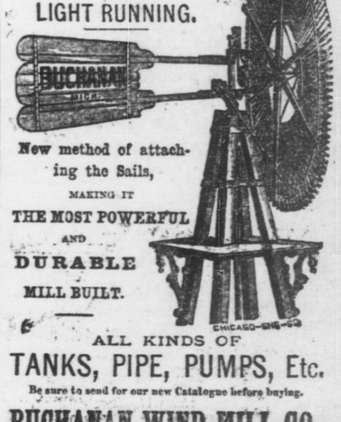

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TOPICS OF THE DAY.

—The idea that lightning is not so destructive as it used to be in the United States, because the network of railroads and telegraph wires lessens the number of accidents, is met by the record of the summer. Fatal thunderbolts have never been more common.

—Some of the reasons for distress in Ireland last year are shown in the statistics of crops gathered in 1881 and 1882. There was a decrease in all of the more important agricultural products, amounting in potatoes to nearly a million and a half tons. This decrease alone would account for a great deal of suffering.

A well-posted treasury official gives it as his opinion that there are at least fifteen million trade dollars in the New York banks and depositories, and that before Congress meets the amount will be increased to twenty millions. He says that the syndicate of speculators who have taken hold of the trade dollar will move on Congress with a powerful lobby next winter, and that there is $2,000,000 or $2,500,000 in the job if they can induce the government to legitimize the coin.

The *Medical News* says: "We have previously stated that it is improbable that cholera will reach the United States this year, but that it is an even chance that we shall have it next year. Since that opinion was published the danger has diminished very little, if any, and while there is not the slightest occasion for panic, there is very urgent need of enforcing cleanliness, of looking to the purity of the water supply, and of great care in the administration of our quarantine stations.

The geographical limits of some of the world's great cities seem to bear but little relation to the number of their inhabitants. New York now includes 41½ square miles, or 26,500 acres; Paris, within the fortifications, consists of 28½ square miles, or 18,315 acres; London has 122 square miles, or about 77,000 acres; Philadelphia, with a population of 800,000, has the surprising geographical area of 129 square miles—which is considerably more than is covered by London, even with all its modern additions of what were not long ago outlying and separate communities.

The *Christian at Work* thinks it is a perfect marvel how some of the letters which fall into the puzzled hands of post-office officials ever reach their desnation. The "blind readers," as those are called who decipher hieroglyphics, seem to be able to follow any clew, however slight it may be, and to find a person to whom a letter is addressed, even when the writer gives no intimation. When a man who sees the words 'Signigic—'s Hotel' can guess correctly that it means St. Nicholas Hotel, he has, indeed, a faculty for reading a superscription which consists of "nine hieroglyphics, five scratches, three dots, and a blot," and should hold his office for life.

The business of condensing milk is likely to be a growing one, as it enables farmers at a distance from cities to get as good prices for milk as those who live near enough to supply them with fresh milk. Condensing milk is simply evaporating a portion of the water, which is its chief constituent, the milk being then sweetened with sugar for its better preservation. If it be used within a few days, the sugar is not necessary. In both cases, the condensed milk, when to be used is diluted with water to the natural condition of good, rich milk. For ships' use or exportation, this is the only way that milk can be safely or economically provided

Sunlit Rooms.

No article of furniture should be put in a room that will not stand sunlight, for every room in a dwelling should have the windows so arranged that sometime during the day a flood of sunlight will force itself into the apartment. The importance of admitting the light freely to all parts of our dwelling cannot be too highly estimated. Indeed, perfect health is nearly as dependent on pure sunlight as it is on pure air. Sunlight should never be uncomfortable to the eyes, and walks should be in bright sunlight, so that the eyes are protected by veil or parasol when inconveniently intense. A sun-bath is of more importance in preserving a healthful condition of the body than is generally understood. It costs nothing, and that is a misfortune, for people are deluded with the idea that those things can only be good and useful which cost money. But remember that pure water, fresh air and sunlit homes, kept free from dampness, will secure you from many heavy bills of the doctors, and give you health and vigor, which no money could procure. It is an established fact that people who live much in the sun are usually stronger and more healthy than those whose occupations deprive them of sunlight. And certainly there is nothing strange in the result, since the same law applies with equal force to nearly every animate thing in nature. It is quite easy to arrange an isolated dwelling so that every room in it may be flooded with sunlight some time in the day, and it is possible that many town houses could be so built as to admit more light than they now receive.

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A NATIONAL LACK.—Dr. Selden H. Talcott, superintendent of the New York state homœopathic asylum for the insane, says that our national lack is that of recuperating sleep. Against the use of the so-called hypnotics in massive doses he protests, because the temporary benefits are heavily discounted by the evil effects which almost always follow. Two conditions oppose the requirements of sleep. These are hyperæmia of the brain—stimulating it to undue activity, and playing the part of a whip and spur to a tired horse—and the opposite of hyperæmia, excessive cerebral anæmia. To relieve the former by rational methods, the blood forces must be enticed away from "their persistent assaults upon the cranial fortress." This can best be accomplished by filling the stomach with solid food, thus "furnishing temporary engagement for the pugilistic globules on other fields." The food should be of the coarsest and plainest, else the remedy might produce an aggravation. Should excessive anæmia exist, and a state of nerve irritability and trepidation be thus produced, take liquid food, such as hot milk, beef tea, and broths, about an hour before sleep is intended. This is of peculiar value to persons of sedentary habits, to those who take too little exercise, and to those who suffer from imperfect circulation. Sleep may usually be obtained, after a hard and irritating day's work, by a warm bath, a cold douche, and a brisk rubbing following that, just previous to retiring for the night. Fresh air should be freely supplied in every sleeping room; yet the sleeper should be protected from even moderate draughts; for these, though apparently slight at first, will produce chilliness of one portion of the body, while another may be overheated, and thus a disturbing inequality of circulation ensues. Beds should be firm in texture, level, and well elevated from the floor, for thus complete circulation around the bed is secured.

Tarring a Rat.

Rats are wonderfully clean animals, and they dislike tar more, perhaps, than anything else, for if it once gets on their jackets, they find it most difficult to remove it. Now, I had heard it mentioned that pouring tar down at the entrance of their holes was a good remedy, also placing broken pieces of glass by their holes was another remedy. But these remedies are not effective. The rats may leave their old holes and make fresh ones in other parts of the house; they don't, however, leave the premises for good. I I thought I would try another experiment—one I had not heard of before. One evening I set a large wire-cage rat-trap, attaching inside a most seductive piece of strongly smelling cheese, and next morning I found, to my satisfaction, that I had succeeded in trapping a very large rat, one of the largest I had ever seen, which, after I had besmeared him with tar, I let loose into his favorite run. The next night I tried again, and succeeded in trapping another equally big fellow, and served him in the same manner. I could not follow these two tar-besmeared rats into their numerous runs, to see what would happen; but it is reasonable to assume that they either summoned together all the members of their community, and by their crestfallen appearance gave their comrades silent indications of the misfortune which had so suddenly befallen them; or that they frightened their brethren away, for they one and all forsook the place and fled. The experiment was eminently successful. From that day in 1875 till now, 1883, my house, ancient though it is, has been entirely free from rats; and I believe that there is no remedy equal to this one, if you can catch your rat alive. They never come back to the house again.—*Chambers' Journal.*

Naming a Lake.

Years ago, it was discovered that a certain lake which had long been considered the head of the Mississippi, had no claim to that honor. The explorers found a new and smaller lake from which the great river took its rise. A discussion arose as to what name would be appropriate for it. The story is that it was decided in this way:

"Let's make a new name by coining a word," said an old voyager. "Some of you larned ones tell me what is the Latin for true."

"Veritas," answered a scholar.

"Well, now, what is Latin for head?"

"Caput."

"Now write the two words together by syllables."

The scholar wrote on a strip of birch-bark, "veritas caput."

"Read it."

The five syllables were read.

"Now drop the first and last syllables and you'll have a good name for this lake." And "Itasca" it was.

LATEST NEWS.

LONDON, Sept. 7.—Both France and China are reported to be equally desirous of securing a peaceful solution of the Tonquin question. It is also said France has consented to negotiate with China for a treaty.

The cattle plague continues with fury its travages in Russia.

Henri Rochefort has attacked King Humbert of Italy in an article in a Paris newspaper, and then has refused to grant a hostile meeting to an Italian officer who demanded a retraction.

The Hungarian escutcheon, with bi-lingual inscription, was replaced in Agram, Austria, yesterday, with great ceremony. Enlistment in the ranks of the rebels there is progressing rapidly. The situation is serious.

Eighteen new cases of yellow fever have been reported at the Pensacola navy-yard.

The President has returned to Washington from his trip to Yellowstone Park, much revigorated.

It is reported that Senator Voorhees has been retained as the leading counsel for young Nutt, at Uniontown, Pa., charged with killing N. L. Dukes, his father's slayer.

Everything, including the mails, on board the steamer Canima, wrecked September 6 on Gull Island, St. Mary's Bay, N. S., was lost. The passengers were dragged ashore by ropes.

Commodore English has telegraphed to Lieut.-Commander Welch, at Pensacola, Fla., that it would be impossible for the marines encamped near Pensacola to be moved north at present, but instructing him to move the camp to a point further from the infected district.

Carrie Waldmayer and Amelia Weaver, of Philadelphia, aged 19 and 21 years, were drowned in the Raritan river at New Brunswick, N. J. They were strolling along the beach, when Miss Waldmayer slipped into the water. Miss Weaver endeavored to rescue her, and both were drowned.

At the naval court-martial on the Santee, at Annapolis, ex-Judge Magruder argued in defence of Cadet Campbell. Cadet Ramsey, of the third class, has been sentenced to seven days' solitary confinement for hazing.

Fire broke out in a lot of cotton in the hold of the steamship William Crane while at sea, on her way from Savannah to Baltimore, and it was only with great difficulty that the vessel was saved from destruction.

GENERAL NEWS.

LONDON, Sep., 6.—The London Times despatch from Hong Kong, which announces that the French admiral will blockade the ports of Canton and Pakoi unless the Chi troops are withdrawn from the Tonquin frontier. The Times believes that France is drifting into a war with China.

The situation in Croatia is very grave. A general rising is expected.

Eight hundred workingmen engaged in a riotous demonstration near Vienna yesterday, and were dispersed by the military.

Mr. Wallace, the United States minister to Turkey, has accepted the principle of the license tax, and consented to the enforcement of the law in regard thereto on conditions favorable to the Porte.

The Paris Clairon announces that the will of the Count de Chambord gives 500,000 francs to the Societas de Propaganda Fide, 100,000 francs for the benefit of the poor of Paris, and 150,000 francs to the convent at Goritz. The Count bequeathed a large portion of his fortune to the Duke de Parnia, and a smaller portion to the Count de Bardi. He devised the income of the estate to his widow.

The new two-cent postage stamps will be of a metallic red color.

The experiment of sending a boat remodeled after the old Maid of Mist through the whirlpool rapids at Niagara has been carried out successfully.

Policeman J. C. Parks, of Danville, Va., has been shot and dangerously wounded by John A. Ferguson. Parks had a warrant for the arrest of Ferguson on a charge of beating and threatening the life of his wife.

The house of John Everts, at Riverton, Ills., has been burned. Mrs. Phœbe Hoyland, mother of Mrs. Everts, 68 years old, and two children of Mrs. Everts, a boy aged 4 and a babe, were burned to death.

Frosts during the past ten days, it is stated, have killed buckwheat crops in all that section of country near Erie, Pa., not protected by the lake winds. Corn in the valleys has also been killed, and farmers are cutting it up to save for feed.

Three prisoners escaped from the McDowell county (N. C.) jail Sunday night, injuring Mrs. Finley, the jailer's wife, slightly, by pushing her aside. They were captured. Shortly after pistol shots were heard, and the jailer, who was drunk, was found shooting at one of the prisoners, who was chained in a cage.

LONDON, September 5.—The French cabinet has decided to ask the Marquis Tseng, the Chinese ambassador, to explain why Chinese troops are moving to the Tonquin frontier. If the present negotiations between France and China fail, it is said China will accept England's good offices with a view to a peaceful solution of the issues. Troops are leaving France for Tonquin.

King Alfonso is en route for Paris.

Quarantine has been abolished on the Suez canal.

A revival of the Fenian activity is reported in London.

Anti-Magyar riots have occurred at Beduja, Austria.

An earthquake prophet has threatened Ischia with another earthquake on October 15.

It is now reported that destruction by volcanic eruption in Sumatra was not absolute.

Five new cases of yellow fever and one death were reported at the Pensacola navy-yard Sept. 5.

Huntington is now spoken of as "the live city of West Virginia." More than three hundred houses are now in course of erection there.

Reports from Santa Barbara, Wilmington and Los Angeles, California, announce that sharp shocks of earthquake were felt there. The vibrations were from northeast to southwest.

At the lunch given the Villard Northern Pacific excursion party at Minneapolis, Minn., Monday, speeches were made by President Arthur, Mr. Villard, Herr von Brunn and others. Jay Cooke was toasted as the founder of the Northern Pacific.

A disease known as the splenic fever has attacked the cattle in Lancaster county, Pa., and is raging with great violence. A large number of cases have already proved fatal, and the disease is apparently on the increase, occasioning great alarm among stockowners.

The Manitoba Railway bridge over the Mississippi river caught fire. The two centre spans were completely destroyed. Loss about $20,000. The Lyndale Hotel, at Minneapolis, where President Villard and his guests were banqueted, was partly destroyed by fire.

Captain Bourgades, of the schooner Marie Henrietta, found an iron box in midocean on his voyage to Montreal. On the lid being pried open gas escaped, causing the examiners to get out of the way, and no one will run the risk of examining the box any further.

H. Dudley Coleman & Bro., iron founders and machinists, of New Orleans, have suspended. Liabilities $250,000; assets $400,000. The suspension was caused by inability to realize on their investments. The firm have been active and public-spirited, and have the confidence and sympathy of a large circle of friends. It is said the firm will continue business.

The French royalists in Goritz held meetings on Monday to declare themselves in favor of the Count de Paris.

The Swiss government has refused to extradite Lennig, the American student, who killed a fellow-student in a duel.

It is reported from the Dutch East Indies that the town of Telokbelong was destroyed by the recent volcanic eruptions. The reports of the destruction of Tjieriogine and the drowning of 10,000 people by a tidal wave are confirmed.

The interior of St. Joseph's Passionist Monastery, on the Frederick road, opposite Louden Park Cemetery, near Baltimore, has been destroyed by fire. Loss, $60,000; insurance, $15,000.

The naval cadets, tried for "hazing," have been acquitted, and 15 candidates were admitted into the Academy, when an attempt was made right away to "haze" one of them by a third classman.

In the excitement of the sham battle at the G. A. R. encampment at Princeton Junction, N. J., the veterans became reckless, and used their weapons so effectually that a large number received slight wounds. Thirteen had to apply to the surgeon, and three or four were confined to the hospital.

At Edwards, Miss., James King and George Gaddis, colored, were arrested, charged with having robbed the grave of Mrs. Hattie Howell. They confessed they stole the body to get the bones of one arm, which they used in carrying on their profession as conjurors. Both men were killed by a mob.

Hon. Charles Brown died at Dover, Del., aged 86 years. He was a member of the Pennsylvania State Senate, and subsequently of Congress. Under President Pierce he was collector of the port of Philadelphia. He was noted for the interest he manifested in the buckshot war of the Porter-Ritner embroglio.

LONDON, Sept. 4.—It is reported that troops from China have crossed the line into Tonquin territory, and the London Standard says that if this news is confirmed it means that war is inevitable between France and China. The French cabinet has decided to send large reinforcements to Tonquin. It is expected in Paris that the Marquis Tseng will resume negotiations with the French minister of foreign affairs.

Marwood, the celebrated executioner of England, is dead.

The village of Battencourt, Belgium, has been destroyed by fire.

The Mobile quarantine against Pensacola, which was raised by the board of health, has been renewed by the city authorities until the 15th inst. Several new cases of fever have appeared in adjoining villages on the naval reservation. One death has occurred in the Naval Hospital.

A special from Springfield, Ill., says While Company A, Ninth Regiment of Infantry, State militia, were returning from the encampment of the Second Brigade, they met with a dreadful accident on the St. Louis and Evansville Railroad, between Carmil and Grayville. The train, in passing through a small herd of cattle, ran over some of them, and the car which the members of the company occupied was overturned, killing nine and wounding fifteen persons.

Washington Notes

A box of live bees were among the recent receipts at the dead-letter office.

The probability that attempts will be made to counterfeit the new postal notes, if they should pass into circulation as currency, which now seems likely, has not been overlooked by the treasury secret service officials, and a careful watch will be kept for such attempts.

The following despatches were received this evening by Major Nicholson from A. S. Taylor, commanding the marines at Pensacola:

"PENSACOLA, September 4.—I think if the marines could be removed to some place off the reservation the fever could be prevented from reaching them; hardly otherwise. Two deaths reported among the marines at hospital.

"(Signed), A. S. TAYLOR, Lieutenant."

A second despatch is as follows, "The country around us becoming infected fast.

"I think the sooner we can move away from here the better.

(Signed) A. S. TAYLOR, Lieut."

Major Nicholson promptly replied: "Move your command to any healthy locality within reach, and employ acclimated laborers to assist you."

To insure the safe and prompt dispatch of registered matter the Postoffice Department at Washington has issued an order requiring all persons registering letters to place thereon the "county," in addition to the postoffic and State.

THE MARKETS.

BALTIMORE.

FLOUR—City Mills extra	$4 25	@5 00	
WHEAT—Southern Fultz	1 15	@1 16	
CORN—Southern white	58	@ 60	
Do yellow	58	@ 60	
RYE—Good	67	@ 72	
OATS—Maryland	33	@ 35	
HAY—Md. and Pa. Timot'y	15 00	@ 17 00	
STRAW—Wheat	700	@ 8 00	
BUTTER—Western prime	20	@ 22	
West Virginia	17	@ 18	
CHEESE—New York State choice	10	@ 11	
Western prime	8½	@ 9	
EGGS	20	@ 21	
CATTLE	5 50	@6 75	
SWINE	8	@ 8¾	
SHEEP AND LAMBS	3	@ 3½	
TOBACCO LEAF—Inferior	1 50	@ 2 00	
Good common	3 00	@ 4 50	
Middling	6 00	@ 8 00	
Good to fine red	8 50	@ 10 00	
Fancy	1000	@ 14 00	

NEW YORK.

COTTON—Middling uplands	10	@	10⅛
FLOUR—Southern com. to fair extra	4 30	@5 20	
WHEAT—No. 1 white	1 18	@1 20	
RYE—State	69	@ 73	
CORN—Southern Yellow	62	@ 63	
OATS—White State	40	@ 45	
BUTTER—State	20	@ 22	
CHEESE—State	9	@ 12	
EGGS	19	@ 25	

PHILADELPHIA.

FLOUR—Penna. fancy	4 75	@5 21	
WHEAT—Pa. and Southern red	1 20	@ 1 21	
RYE—Pennsylvania	61	@ 46	
CORN—Southern yellow	18	@ 19	
OATS	39	@	
BUTTER—State	20	@ 30	
EGGS—State	15	@ 89	1

A Wise Horse.

The following incident is actually true: A long line of horses stand ready harnessed to take the street cars around an up grade corner, in Boston. The horses are so placed in a line as to be taken each in its due turn. Just now the writer observed that the instant the driver detailed for the purpose was out of sight around the corner, a horse whose turn would come next deliberately walked down the line and placed himself as the last in the line; the last, thus, to be used. As he watched closely, he noticed that it was but one horse that did this, did it so invariably, and not until the driver was out of sight around the corner, as to make it impossible but that it was done to escape work. Could a horse be that intelligent anywhere outside of New England? As to the morality of the act, alas, alas!

Rescued from Agonizing Death.

NEW YORK.—Mr. James White, 1552 Broadway, formerly chief instructor in Dickels' Riding School, in this city, said to a newspaper reporter: "I broke my shoulder, arm and elbow, splitting the socket in four parts. Rheumatism set in and I employed the best physician. He tried everything, but I grew worse, and at last he said: 'I have one more thing to try and if that fails nothing can give you relief, and that is St. Jacobs Oil.' I used this great pain-reliever, and am able to use my arm, free from all rheumatic trouble. I have also recommended the remedy to a number of people, and in every case they have been speedily and effectually cured.

Slaves of Fashion.

The actual drudgery of fashionable life falls upon women. To toil for a place in society, to give precious afternoons to the labor of paying calls, and to allow indifferent acquaintances, as Emerson said, to devastate the day, to give constant thought to the revision of one's toilette and the improvement of one's visiting list, this is to be a slave to things. And if the slave do not feel her fetters, so much the worse for her. Many women have not time for the unhurried delight of their children's presence, for reading anything beyond the last new novel, for any occupation higher than the narrowing round they call their domestic and social duties!

American Triumph at Amsterdam.

The Mason & Hamlin Organ and Piano Company have just received the following cable dispatch from Mr. C. C. Bender, their agent in Holland, now representing them at the World's Exposition at Amsterdam: "*Received Diploma of Honor, the very highest award.*" The Mason & Hamlin cabinet organs were placed in competition at this great exhibition with a large number from the leading makers of Europe and America, and this award is but a continuation of their unbroken series of triumphs at all the great world's exhibitions for the last 16 years. Mason & Hamlin have now won the highest awards at Paris, 1867; Vienna, 1873; Santiago, 1875; Philadelphia, 1876; Paris, 1878; Milan, 1881, and Amsterdam, 1883.—*Boston Journal.*

Georgia's manufactured products will aggregate almost $400,000,000 this year.

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Oscar Wilde will not lecture any more. This is Vera sad.

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Dr. R. V. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y.: *Dear Sir*—I have been taking your favorite Prescription" for "female weakness." Before I had taken it two days I began to feel stronger. I have taken but two-thirds of a bottle and believe I am cured. Gratefully,

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We often hear of a woman marrying a man to reform him; but no one ever tells us of a man marrying a woman to reform her.

Sick and bilious headache, and all derangements of stomach and bowels, cured by Dr. Pierce's "Pellets"—or anti-bilious granules. 25 cents a vial. No cheap boxes to allow waste of virtues. By druggists.

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Nothing is uglier than crooked boots! straighten them with Lyon's Heel Stiffeners.

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"For heaven's sake, save her!" he said to the doctor; "I positively can't afford a funeral just at this time."

Chrolithion collars and cuffs, while thoroughly waterproof, feel as soft as velvet around the neck and wrists.

The dear old green apple jokes that we have all loved so well are coming round again.

Skinny Men.

Wells' Health Renewer restores health, vigor, cures Dyspepsia, Impotence, Sexual Debility. $1.

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Health of body is wealth of mind.

Don't Die in the House.

'Rough on Rats.' Clears out rats, mice, roaches, bedbugs, flies, ants, moles, chip. munks, gophers, 15c.

A freaky dog in Rockland, Mass., eats cucumbers off the vine.

For sore feet, swollen joints, sprains, corns or bunions, use St. Patrick's Salve.

An Indian being asked not to paint his face, said: "Indian heap like white woman. Stop white woman, Indian stop."

Wouldst see blithe looks, fresh cheeks beguile,
Aye, wouldst see December smile?
Wouldst see hosts of new roses blow?
Carboline makes the hair to grow
On the baldest of heads.

A baker advertising that his bread was "hard to beat," was disgusted when the printer made it "hard to eat."

WALCOTT, the gentleman who ate thirty brace of quails in thirty days, was relieved from any disagreeable stomach troubles by using GASTRINE, and took nothing else during the task. Sold by druggists.

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Mrs. J. S. Littell, Newark, N. J., was badly afflicted with Bright's kidney disease. Three doctors gave her up to die; then Dr. Frazer, 26 New street gave her Dr. Elmore's K. G. It relieved her in a day and cured her in 3 weeks.

A sunflower weighing five and a quarter pounds has been grown on the Rittenhouse estate in Germantown.

Good News from Texas.

MR. THOMAS A. HOWARD, of Honey Grove, Fannin County, Texas, under date of April 5, 1883, writes as follows:

"I have been suffering during several years from severe illness, and a general breaking down of my physical system, and have tried the treatment and prescriptions of many doctors far and near, and traveled to the Hot Springs and other mineral springs famous for their remedial qualities, drinking the waters and bathing systematically in their healing depths, but all to no avail, as I steadily failed in health; and although informed by my physicians that my ailments and weaknesses were the result of kidney disease of a dangerous character, they could give me nothing to cure me. During the past two years my sufferings at times were dreadful, and I had the most indescribable pains in the regions about the kidneys, the paroxysms of which were so severe as to render it impossible for me to sleep. While in this deplorable and discouraged condition I was persuaded to try Hunt's Remedy, and after using less than half a bottle my great sufferings and paroxysms of pain were entirely relieved, and I could sleep better and longer than I had in two years before, and although I am now on my third bottle only my improvement is very remarkable, and I regret that I did not know of the wonderful curative powers of Hunt's Remedy before, as it would have saved me years of suffering. I heartily recommend it to all afflicted with any kidney disease or disease of the urinary organs."

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Please allow me to speak in the highest terms of Hunt's Remedy, for it hit my case exactly. I had kidney and urinary trouble pretty bad. I was recommended Hunt's Remedy. I took one teaspoonful as directed. I felt a decided change at the first dose. I took two bottles, and have felt like a new man ever since. Please receive the sincere thanks of myself for the benefits which I sought vainly for and found only in Hunt's Remedy. I will cheerfully give this same opinion of Hunt's Remedy to any one who wishes it, by addressing

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